

In re Appln of Thomas et al.
Serial No. 09/422,510

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sealing the first and second panels to each other at spaced seals transverse to the longitudinal direction to form the packages;

filling each package with a product via a fill opening between the fastener and the second panel; and

attaching the fastener to an inner surface of the second panel to seal the fill opening.

REMARKS

This second supplemental Preliminary Amendment amends claims 40, 41, 44, and 46 and adds new claim 61. Following entry of this Preliminary Amendment, claims 9-61 should be pending.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 10-0447 (Order No. 47097-00057) for any additional fees that may be required, except for the issue fee.

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